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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents
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Re: Application of Hsin-Chu LIU, Hsi-Hsin SHIH, Chin-Chin TSAI, Chien-Tsung WU,
Wen-Bing LIU
METHOD OF MANUFACTURING POLYMERIC FOAM USING
SUPERCRITICAL FLUIDS
Assignee: **INDUSTRIAL TECHNOLOGY RESEARCH INSTITUTE**
Our Ref. Q77564

21906 U.S. PRO
10/669697
09/25/03

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 24 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, 8 sheets of drawings, a copy of an executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and a copy of an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	19	-	20	=		x	\$18.00	=	\$0.00
Independent claims	1	-	3	=		x	\$84.00	=	\$0.00
Base Fee									\$750.00

TOTAL FILING FEE	\$750.00
Recordation of Assignment	\$40.00
TOTAL FEE	\$790.00

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$750.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
Taiwan	91124487	October 23, 2002

The priority document is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,
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